

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

PRESTON JOEL MAYS,

Defendant.

No. 2:95-cr-00143-GEB-GGH

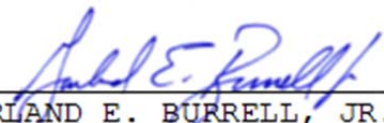
**ORDER**

On November 7, 2014, and January 5, 2015, Defendant Preston Joel Mays filed, in pro per, what appear to be identical motions for the modification of his sentence under 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(2). (ECF Nos. 177, 178.) In essence, Defendant argues the retroactive post-sentencing reduction of his base offense level and his favorable post-sentencing conduct justify a reduction of his sentence.

On April 14, 2015, the Office of the Federal Defender filed a notice stating it "does not recommend appointment of counsel" concerning the referenced motions. (ECF No. 179.)

The government is requested to file a written response to Defendant's motions no later than May 1, 2015.

Dated: April 16, 2015

  
GARLAND E. BURRELL, JR.  
Senior United States District Judge